

PATENT

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Sally A. Leong and
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Group Art Unit: 1638

Serial No. 09/257,585

Examiner: Nelson, A.

Filed: February 25, 1999

For: Cultivar Specificity Gene from
the Rice Pathogen *Magnaporthe Grisea*,
and Methods of Use



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Sir:

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER
AND REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

(X)

Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

The fee for additional claims presented in this amendment has been calculated as follows:

				SMALL ENTITY			OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid for	No. Extra	Rate	Fee	OR	Rate	Fee
Total Claims	18 -	29 = (at least 20)	0	x\$9=	\$	OR	x\$18 =	\$
Indep. Claims	3 -	5 = (at least 3)	0	x\$39=	\$	OR	x\$78 =	\$
First Presentation Multiple Dependent Claims				\$130=	\$	OR	\$260 =	\$
Total fee for added claims:					\$			\$

- (X) Request is hereby made under 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the time for response to the Official Action of September 7, 2000 to and through March 7, 2000, comprising an extension of the shortened period of 3 month(s):

	SMALL ENTITY	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY
One Month	\$ 55	\$ 110
Two Months	\$195	\$ 390
Three Months	X \$445	\$695
Four Months	\$695	\$1,390

present application is not involved in an interference declared pursuant to 37 CFR 1.207.

Total fee required

\$445.00

- () Please charge my Deposit Account No. 50-1089 in the amount of \$ _____. This sheet is attached in duplicate.
- () An extension for _____ has already been secured and the fee paid therefore of \$ _____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension fee due with this request
\$ _____

- (X) A check in the amount of \$ 445.00 _____ is attached. Please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1089.

- (XX) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1089. This sheet is attached in duplicate.

(XX) Any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 including fees for presentation of extra claims.

(XX) Any additional patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17 and under 37 CFR 1.20(d).

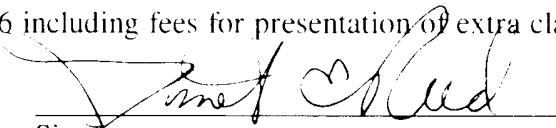
- (XX) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees during the pendency of this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1089. This sheet is attached in duplicate.

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- () The issue fee set in 37 CFR 1.18 at or before mailing of the Notice of Allowance, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.311(b).

(XX) Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 including fees for presentation of extra claims.

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